PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

entor(s):

Robert A. Cochran

Confirmation No.: 5843

Application No.: 10/660,192

Examiner: K.N. McLean Mayo

Filing Date:

09/11/2003

Group Art Unit:

2187

Title:

UNIFIED DATA DISTRIBUTED OVER MULTIPLE I/O-DEVICE ARRAYS

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

(X) Response/Amendment

(x) Petition to extend time to respond

(X) New fee as calculated below

() Supplemental Declaration

() No additional fee

() Other: ___

_ (fee \$

(7) ADDITIONA FEES		(6) RATE		(5) PRESENT EXTRA		(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		
	\$	\$18	×	О	=	20		MINUS	20	TOTAL CLAIMS	
(\$	\$88	x	О	=	3		MINUS	2	INDEP. CLAIMS	
	\$	\$300	[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM + \$300								
11	\$	4TH MONTH \$1530.00			3RD MON \$980.00	0.00		1ST MONTH \$110.00	EXTENSION FEE		
	\$	FEES	OTHER FEES								
110	\$	MENT	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT								

Charge \$ ______ to Deposit Account 50-2976 At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action date August 23, 2004, please extend the time to respond one month, from November 23, 2004 to December 23, 2004. The Petition for Extension of Time and requisite fee is enclosed.